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Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

## STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

In response to the Examiner's Interview Summary for the telephonic interview conducted on May 5, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits that the Examiner's Interview Summary is correct and complete.

As indicated by the Examiner, claims 1-10 were discussed in light of the references of record in the application. Additionally, possible amendments were discussed briefly. Applicant proposed several possible amendments. The Examiner suggested that one or more of those amendments might overcome the art applied thus far but that the proposed amendments would almost certainly not be admitted after final. The Examiner further suggested that a Request for Continued Examination would allow the Examiner to better consider the proposed amendments and deferred any conclusions on the proposed amendments until such time.

Again, Applicant appreciates the Examiner's willingness to communicate and the time spent discussing this application. Together with this Statement of the Substance of the Interview, Applicant is filing an Amendment in response to the outstanding Final Office Action and a Request for Continued Examination. The Amendment contains at least some of the amendments proposed in the telephonic interview.

Applicant appreciates the cooperative nature of the interview and believes that these comments are merely clarifications of the substance of the interview. If the Examiner has any questions regarding the application, the claims, or any paper submitted, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney of record.

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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